# DUBUQUE COUNTY LIBRARY

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March 30th,1953.

Miss Elizabeth B. Hage,Librarian,
Scott County Library,
Eldridge,Iowa.

Dear Betty:

copy 1953 sent 10-21-52

Our budget committee had a meeting today and they have asked me to secure figures from you. If you had an extra copy of last year's it might answer most of our questions.

10-21-52 sent 10-7-52

1.What is the salary that you pay your assistants,your driver?

11-20-52 in mail 11-18-52

2.As far as rent for your sub-stations and attendant,how is that decided?

3.How did you find your assistants?

We are just so busy here as we have a new stack or two coming, and this week we are trying to do stations. Next week we start a short school schedule about two weeks or maybe three. Our rural schools begin to close the 5th of May. So we pick up most of may.

We have a board meeting Monday and would appreciate a reply before that time.

Best wishes,
Catherine.
Catherine.

April 2, 1953

Miss Catherine Seitz, Librarian
Dubuque County Library
Court House
Dubuque, Iowa

Dear Catherine:

If you will look up our 1952 correspondence you will find the answers to two of the questions you asked March 30. On Oct. 7, you asked about our salary scale and asked for a copy of our budget. I sent a copy and explained about the salaries in my answer of Oct. 21.

On November 18 you asked about the rent we pay for our stations. I explaned that quite fully in my reply of November 20.

As to your third question in your letter of March 30 about finding our assistants, I looked long and hard for them at all the library schools in this part of the country, and finally got two people with the courses offered at Iowa State Teachers College. They are still with us - one as bookmobile librariand and the other as cataloger. Our clerical assistants and drivers have been local people who have tierh come looking for the job or about whom I've been told by people in the community.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth B. Hage
Librarian

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